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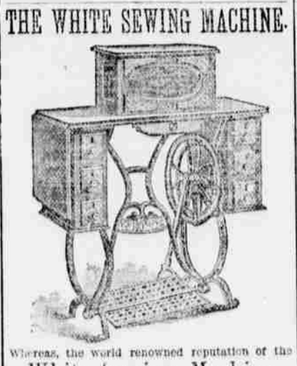

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THE IMP OF SPRING TIME.

Over the eaves where the sunbeams fall
Twitters the swallow;
I hear from the mountains the cataract call;
Follow, oh, follow!

Buds on the bushes and blooms on the mead
Swiftly and swelling;
Hark! the Spring whispereth: "Make ye with speed
Ready my dwelling.

Out of the tremulous blue of the air
Calling before her,
Who was it bade me "awake and prepare,
Thou, mine adorer?"

"Leave me," I said: "I have known thee of old,
Love, the annoyer,
Arming, at last with thine arrows of gold,
Time, the Destroyer."

"Follow," he laughed, "where the bliss of the earth
Woos thee, compelling;
Yet, in the spring, and her thousandfold birth,
I, too, am dwelling."

Out of the buds he was peeping, and sang
Soft with the swallow;
Yes, and he called where the cataract sprang:
Follow, oh follow!

Vain to defy, or evade, or in sooth,
Bid him to leave me!
But his deception is dearer than truth;
Let him deceive me!

—*Bayard Taylor.*

NEW GRASS.

Whoever reads these lines has felt
That breath whose long-lost perfumes melt
The Spirit—newly fanned
While the sweet, banished families
Of earth's forgotten sympathies
Rise from the sweating ground.

It is the subtle breath of grass;
And as I pause, or lingering pass,
With half-shut eyes beheld
Bright from all Baptisms of the dew,
Fresh meadows burst upon my view,
And new becomes the old!

Old longings (Pleasure kissing Pain),
Old visions visit me again—
Life's quiet deeps are stirred;
The fountain heads of memory flow
Through channels dry so long ago)
With music long unheard.

Thy rural lanes, Ohio, come
Back to me, grateful with the hum
Of everything that stirs;
Dear places, saddened by the years,
Lost to my sight send sudden tears
Their secret messengers.

—*John James Piatt.*

GARFIELD'S DUPLICITY.

HOW THE PRESIDENT MADE PROMISES AND BROKE THEM.

The New York *Herald* of May 11th contained a five column Washington letter purporting to give the inside history of Garfield's pledges and the inside history of the last Presidential campaign. The letter says: Senator Conkling has not asked the present administration, either before the election or since, for a single appointment. Garfield has invited suggestions from him and obtained them. Before the great battle came off there were days and weeks and almost months of gloom and uncertainty, when the intimate friends of General Garfield among the leaders of the Republican party, were on the very verge of despair concerning the success of the contest. It was difficult to get money. In every section of the country there was a feeling of apathy and indifference as to the result that it was almost impossible to shake off. In this gloomy condition of affairs General Garfield, in a sort of despair, suggested a conference in the city of New York of the leading men of the party from all sections of the country.

THE "SPOILS" CONFERENCE.

The object of that memorable Fifth avenue conference was to devise ways and means by which a few rays of sunshine and a little spirit might be thrown into the campaign. It was then felt that New York was a pivotal State in the battle. The importance, nay, the absolute necessity of securing the support and advocacy of Senator Conkling and General Grant was universally recognized.

Among the plans for improving the situation was one suggested by General Garfield himself that Levi P. Morton, of New York, should act as Chairman of the finance committee, subscribing liberally himself, of course. As an inducement to Mr. Morton to undertake the labor of raising money for the campaign, General Garfield then and there offered him in the event of his election the Secretaryship of the Treasury, the headship of the new syndicate then contemplated for refunding the debt, the English Mission or the French Mission. This offer was refused by Mr. Morton. The next question considered was the distribution of the patronage of New York, and the promise was given by General Garfield that in the event of his election the wishes of the State organization, Conkling, Platt, Cornell, etc., in all the appointments should be fully consulted and that their advice and recommendations should govern him in all that he did.

A REMARKABLE CONTRAST.

Unlike General Garfield, his competitor, General Hancock, was not so crazed on the subject of the Presidency that he was willing to put his honor in pawn to secure it. Some of the Democratic politicians and leaders who were striving to elect him were restless and uneasy over his reticence in regard to the future. His election was almost certain, and with a spirit of thrift for which the leaders of that party have always been distinguished, they thought it time to put a mortgage upon his administration. And so they came to him to consult with him and bind him up in regard to the Treasury and the State Department and the Post Office, the Collectorships and the foreign Consulates. Instead of offering to auction them off at so much in consideration of money for the campaign fund, General Hancock replied, substantially: "No, gentleman; I cannot do what you ask. I cannot pledge myself to you. I have been nominated for the highest office in the gift of the country and if I am elected I must go into it free and untrammeled. I can make no pledges." Mr. Garfield was not only willing to make pledges, but he was willing to barter away everything in his gift, provided he could only win. While through a friend he was urging Star-route Brady to come down and help along the good fight he was masquerading as a reformer and a Christian statesman.

CONKLING TO THE RESCUE.

All this time neither General Grant nor Mr. Conkling had made a sign. Garfield was fairly driven to despair. The impression was steadily gaining ground that the ex-President and the political chieftain who led the famous 306 at Chicago secretly desired the defeat of the Republican ticket. All efforts to draw the one or the other from his retirement had failed. Finally the good offices of General Arthur were invoked, and at last Mr. Conkling and General Garfield were induced to begin that memorable campaign which threw life and vigor into the canvass. In every part of the Republican camp there was dismay. Hancock, it was predicted, would sweep New York by 60,000. In less than thirty days from the date of the first speech by Mr. Conkling and General Grant the whole situation became changed. The Republican outlook began to brighten in New York, and the enthusiasm of the party here soon extended to every quarter of the Union.

GARFIELD'S DUPLICITY.

About this time a wonderful change came over the spirit of Garfield's dream. The politician of a few weeks before who was showering his promises thick as the November leaves all over the country became suddenly stricken with a curious paralysis of the memory. The great bargainer suddenly forgot that he had ever made a bargain. To those who were the recipients of his pledges his actions about this time were a curious illustration of the sinuous course of a politician without principles, who at the same time was endeavoring to masquerade in the robes of a reformer. It was about this time that Mr. Garfield made the horrible discovery that Mr. Morton was a great banker, and it would never do to place a great New York financier in control of the finances of the government. The situation at Mentor appeared to go from bad to worse at this time. The President-elect was in distress, and finally Mr. Conkling was invited to Mentor.

There has been a good deal said and written about that memorable meeting, but the true inwardness of it is this morning for the first time explained.

PLEDGES TO CONKLING.

General Garfield opened the dialogue with a series of interrogatories in regard to the characters of various personages who had been spoken of for various offices. Judge Folger's character was discussed and Garfield intimated that he would be given a Cabinet position.

The conversation then turned upon Mr. Morton. Mr. Conkling said he did not purpose to ask him for any position. If, however, he intended to give a place to the State of New York he thought the Treasury Department was the one to which the State, because of its dignity and importance, was entitled. Then, in his opinion, the State was entitled to it because of its great services in the campaign. Mr. Garfield replied that he had been considering the name of Mr. Morton in connection with the Treasury, but he had concluded for many reasons that it would be very inconvenient for him to make him Secretary of the Treasury; that he had promised him either the headship of the syndicate or the mission to England or France.

Mr. Conkling remarked, if New York cannot have the Treasury "I have only one request to make—namely, that you will pass New York over: at all events, that you will not give us the Navy when there is no navy. That department would probably satisfy some other State, and the multiplication table will explain why New York is left out." Later Judge Folger was summoned to Mentor. Garfield wanted to offer him the Attorney Generalship. Mr. Folger immediately answered that he could not think of accepting the Attorney Generalship or of resigning his position on the New York Supreme Bench to take any place less than that of the Treasury Department. He emphatically declined the Attorney Generalship.

A few days before the inauguration he telegraphed to Mr. Morton, offering him the post of Secretary of the Navy. In the absence of the friends with whom he could consult, Mr. Mortion whose name had been mentioned for all manner of places—the Treasury, the English Mission, the Mission to France—not wishing to make himself ridiculous if he were not named at all, accepted it in a moment of hesitation. This led to a good deal of excitement among the stalwart branch of the party. Mr. Morton became so annoyed that he emphatically withdrew his acceptance, and so the famous Cabinet was all broken up again. At the eleventh hour it was patched up and thrown together in the marvellous shape in which we see it, sent to the Senate and confirmed.

THE BEGINNING OF TROUBLE.

During all the time Senator Conkling expressed a sincere desire to Mr. Garfield and his friends to make the administration a success, offering to do everything in his power to aid him. One night a New York Congressman came to Mr. Conkling with a message that the President was anxious to see him about important matters affecting the administration. Mr. Conkling went. The New York appointments were mentioned by President Garfield, who at that time intimated that he would like to give Judge Robertson an office. Mr. Conkling opposed this latter idea and the President said he wished Senator Conkling would consult Mr. Arthur, Mr. Platt, Governor Cornell and other prominent gentleman belonging to the party and draw up some plan which would enable him to dispose of the whole matter with the least injury to the public service, and at the same time with as much satisfaction as possible to the gentlemen interested.

Mr. Conkling then asked if any changes were to be made at the New York Custom House. The President replied not at present, and when he did he would see him (Conkling) and consult with him about them. Three days later the nomination of Judge Robertson was sent to the Senate. Since then there has been frequent consultations between Senator Platt, Vice President Arthur and Garfield, but the latter has refused to withdraw the nomination.

IMPROVEMENT FOR MIND AND BODY.

For genuine merit there is no tonic sold that begins to compare with Parker's Ginger Tonic. One 50 ct., bottle contains more life and strength, restoring power than a bushel of malt or a gallon of pure milk. As an appetizer, blood purifier and kidney corrector, it meets with astonishing success, and invalids find its use promptly followed by renewed energy and vivacity, mental and physical improvement, and gradual restoration to perfect health. See other columns.—*Commercial.*

Now that they are making everything out of paper, they should apply it to boxing gloves—paper mashy, so to speak.

Don't judge of a man's character by the umbrella he carries. It may not be his.

Applications for Restaurant License in Catawissa.

OPINION OF THE COURT.

The persons who have spent time and money in bringing to the notice of the Court, the loose practice of the keepers of restaurants in Catawissa are entitled to the thanks of the public; but their general objection to all licenses cannot be sustained under the law.

In Schlaudecker vs. Marshall et. al., 72 State Reports (22 P. F. Smith), 200, it was held by the supreme court, Judge Agnew delivering the opinion (p. 206), that "whether any or all licenses should be granted is a legislative, and not a judicial question; the act of deciding is judicial, and not arbitrary or wilful."

To say that we will grant no license to any one, or that we will grant license to every one, is not to decide judicially on the merits of the case, but to determine beforehand and outside of the law.

Again Judge Agnew says, "The law of the land has determined that licenses shall exist, and has imposed upon the court the duty of ascertaining the proper instances in which licenses should be granted."

The three houses for which license is asked have been occupied as licensed restaurants for many years. The weight of the sworn testimony is that they are as much (or more) necessary now as at any time heretofore, and that they are as necessary for the accommodation of the public (strangers and travelers) as any restaurants are in any place.

The petitions for and remonstrances against these licenses are nearly equal, so that the only question is whether the practices of these applicants heretofore have been such as to forbid the renewal of their licenses. That each applicant has in one or more respects violated the law is clearly proven—though the violation has probably not extended further than is usual with most persons engaged in similar business. This is not said, however, by way of excuse, but for the purpose of bringing especially to the notice not only of these applicants but of all others the stringent provisions of the law, a violation of which will (on proof) be ground for revoking a license. "Any inn-keeper or keeper of a licensed restaurant for the sale of spirituous or other liquors, who shall allow any kind of game of address or hazard, or playing or betting, or gaming for money or other valuable thing (whether with cards, dice, billiards, bowls, shuffle-boards, or any game or device in any manner) to be practiced, played or carried on, on his premises" is liable to a penalty besides the revocation of his license, and for a second offense he is ever after incapable of having a license as a retailer within this commonwealth.—Act March 11, 1834.

Wilfully furnishing minors, insane persons, persons intoxicated at the time, or persons of known intemperate habits, with intoxicating drink as a beverage is highly penal when done by any person; when by a licensed person it is good ground for revoking the license.—Act May 8, 1854 To sell or allow to be drank on the premises any spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, wine or cider, on Sunday, is forbidden.—Act Feb. 26, 1855.

Under this law, we shall hold hereafter that, if the front or back entrance to any restaurant is open, and guests are admitted on Sunday, presumptively the statute has been been violated; and if young men, minors, are allowed to loaf about a saloon (whether it is shown that they drink liquor there, or not,) the Court will hold that the keeper is not properly conducting his business, and persistence in such a course after notice, will be ground for revoking his or her license. The Court will hold these present applicants to a strict compliance with the law—the more from the fact that it is shown that there is a good deal of drunkenness in Catawissa, and by reason of the evidence given to the Court of the loose manner in which the restaurant business has been there conducted.

If the warning now given does not produce reform, so that the law shall be observed, we will not only revoke these licenses, but will grant no others.

In regard to the application of Mrs. Truckenmiller, who is a married woman, it is objected that for that reason she ought not to be licensed. She is the owner of the property, and was licensed before she was married. It has not been the practice to reject applications on this ground: the licensee is responsible for the acts of her agents; for a violation of the law, the bondsmen are liable to a judgment for the two thousand dollars penalty in her bond.

Berkheimer sold beer between the first of April and the first of May; during this period Moyer held the license, but his lease had expired; Berkheimer was therefore selling without license; but, as he had an agreement (drawn by an attorney) to sell as agent for Moyer, he may have believed that he had a right to sell. It has been held by another state that a sale between the time of the going out of one tenant having a license and the application by the new tenant is not a violation of law. Though we do not assent to this view, we consider the reason insufficient for refusing this license.

In regard to Smith, while there is some evidence of his drinking, it does not appear that he is considered to be a man of intemperate habits; but, in regard to him, we say, as we have on other occasions (and with good effect), that his holding the license will, in this respect; depend upon his habits in the future.

Under these restrictions, these licenses are granted.

A Toad Story.

"Yes," spoke up a soldier who had been listening with approving silence to his comrade's recital of the habits of snakes, "but even the toad knows how to defend itself against the voracity of a rattlesnake. A rattlesnake never bites anything it swallows, and so it will cram a toad down its throat whole. I once saw a rattlesnake about six feet long trying to capture a large toad. The toad adopted a novel method to thwart the reptile's intentions. The snake had come upon the toad unawares, and it could not turn tail and jump, else the snake would spring and catch it in his jaws. So the toad took up a small stick, about six inches, long, holding it at the centre in its mouth. The snake's mouth could not be distended to a width of six inches, and so, facing the snake with the stick in his mouth, the toad wearied its would-be destroyer out of all patience, and finally he gave up his efforts and crawled away. The toad dropped the stick and hopped to a safer retreat.

The Story of a Veteran.

Last night, in a fashionable saloon on Kearny street, two distinguished looking militiamen were recounting their numerous campaigns at Sacremanto and San Bruno, when a man with one sleeve of his coat empty lounged up to the bar. As he did so he touched the elbow of one of the bullion-bound warriors, and at once apologized to the fierce military glare fastened on him.

"Beg pardon," said he "but I'm always kind of careless when any of the boys in blue are 'round. I used to be one myself."

The warriors in blue and gold did not deign to respond, but the stranger was not on the alert for any obvious slights.

"I lost this arm," he continued, "at Vicksburg. And this cough," he added, as he shook on a spasm, "I got at the same place."

"Rather a poor recompense, wasn't it?" asked one of the militiamen. "Couldn't you get anything better?"

"Yes," said the wreck of humanity, with a touch of genuine pride. "I got this too;" and he threw back the lapel of his rusty coat to exhibit a small medal.

As he unclasped it and handed it over for inspection, he said: "I got that for being the best dressed soldier in the Thirteenth Army Corps at Milliken's Bend, before the capture of Vicksburg. We had been slashing around Vicksburg a whole month, and for a change had gone up the White river and taken Arkansas Post, with 5,000 rebs. When we got back to Vicksburg again we were a pretty tough looking crowd. We were stationed in swampy timber ground that every shower used to make a slough of, and the fellows were mud all over. The day before Grant took command at Milliken's Bend we had orders to fix up for the occasion, and it was given out that the best dressed man in each regiment would get a medal. We all went to work scrubbing and polishing, but it was no use. A fellow couldn't rub the mud out of his clothes, and if he washed it out, the minute they got half dry they looked as bad as ever. Most of the fellows gave it up for a bad job, but I'd made up my mind I was going to get the medal. I had a pretty good uniform, and after I'd sewed it up on the elbows and tacked the skirt of the coat up it looked well enough, only for the mud. It was about as good as any other uniform in the corps, but, of course, that wouldn't amount to nothing; I wanted it to be better. What do you think I did?"

"Bought a new one I suppose," said the bar-keeper.

The veteran smiled. "I went down and stood in the Yazoo for an hour before parade. I'd burnished up all the buttons and blackened my shoes with a piece of burned leather and pork fat, and when I walked up with my wet suit I just paralyzed the crowd. I looked as if I'd come out of a bandbox when I stuck on my shoes and cap, and threw my musket over my shoulder."

"And you got the medal?" said one of the militiamen, handing back the trophy.

"Yes, I got it, and more too. I got the rheumatiz and pheumonia. It was in January, you know, and it set in to blow from the west, and before the parade was over, I was most froze to death. To finish me, the Colonel was so tickled with my appearance that I was detailed for orderly duty at headquarters and had to march around for four hours, until the icicles were hanging out of my elbows and coat tails, and do you know what Grant said after the parade?"

"What?"

"He remarked with considerable feeling, 'It's a long time between drinks.'"

The barkeeper shoved three glasses over the mahogany, and the militiamen both put their hands in their pockets.

"Yes, gentlemen," said the veteran, as he wiped his grizzly moustache on his coat sleeve and edged toward the door. "I got the medal, and don't you forget it."

"I shouldn't wonder," said the barkeeper, as the veteran flitted through the doorway. "If that fellow isn't an eighteen-carat fraud and lost his arm in a sawmill."

"You do him an injustice, I assure you," said a thoughtful but dilapidated person, bending over the lunch counter. "I recognize him as an individual who had a limb shot off in Virginia City while robbing a wood pile."

Ten Gigantic Locomotives.

Ten iron giants from the Pennsylvania railroad company will be built this summer at Altoona. They will be much larger and more powerful than ordinary passenger engines and are to be built for the particular purpose of making up time on portions of the road where there are long stops. On the first run between New York and Philadelphia, for instance, the time allowed is so short that when there are usual stops, letting off and getting on passengers, the ordinary engines cannot make it up. Hence a monster locomotive, known on the road as "No. 10," has been built as an experiment and tried on different trains to see what can be done. The result has been satisfactory, but there are many improvements that suggest themselves which will be made in the building of the other heavy engines that are to follow. In the slang of the railroad yard, No 10 is known as "Long legged loco." This comes from the big driving wheels she rides upon, which stand six feet and six inches above the rails, or higher than a tall man with a silk hat on. She has two pairs of drivers forged for her by Herr Krupp, the famous cannon maker. In this is supposed to have been the highest aim that can be sought in a locomotive—to pull the heaviest trains over all grades against stiff winds and with the least possible liability towards hot boxes or low steam on the quickest schedule time. Her engineer says: "She goes like a bird and rides like a rocking chair." Ever since it has been running this engine has been making a mile in fifty seconds on up grade with a long train in tow without getting heated. She makes less than a mile a minute and "keeps cool." Of course there is a great consumption of fuel. In 180 miles 12,000 pounds of coal are used up. The water tank contains 3,000 gallons, 400 more than usually carried. Everything else is on a proportionately large scale. Only the delay in getting boilers sufficiently large has prevented the completion of two others of nearly the same pattern.

Esquimaux Duck-Spearing.

The following paragraph occurs in a paper in the May *Scribner*, by Colonel Gilder, second officer of the Franklin search party, entitled "Among the Esquimaux with Schwatka:"

"A most novel and interesting method of bird catching is practiced during the spring and early summer, while the ducks and geese are molting and unable to fly. The Esquimaux puts his *hyac*—that is, his seal skin canoe—on his head like an immense hat, and repairs to the big lake, or the sea side, where he has seen the helpless birds swimming and feeding in the water. Here he launches his frail bark, and when seated, which is not always accomplished without a ducking, takes a double-bladed oar in his hands, and at once starts in pursuit of the game. Before him on his *hyac*, where he can seize it at the proper moment, lies his duck-spear, together with the other implements of the chase. Cautiously approaching the featherless flock, he sometimes gets quite near before his presence is observed; but even then, before he is within striking distance, there is a great spluttering in the water, as the band scatters in every direction, vainly beating the water with the curious-looking stumps that soon will wear their plumage and once more do duty as wings. Some dive below the surface and come up a great way off, and always just where you are not looking for them; but as the flock takes alarm, the hunter dashes forward, feeling the necessity for speed rather than for caution. He is soon within fifteen or twenty feet of the struggling mass, and, seizing a curious-looking spear, with three barbs of unequal length, he poises it for a moment in the air, and then hurls it with unerring aim at the devoted bird, impaling it with a sharpened iron or bone spike in the centre of the barbs. The handle of the spear is of wood, and floats on the surface of the water, so that the hunter can recover his weapon and the game at his leisure."

A Wonderful Lake in Iowa.

The greatest wonder in the State of Iowa, and perhaps in any other State, is what is called the Walled Lake, in Wright county, twelve miles north of the Dubuque and Pacific Railway, and one hundred and fifty miles west of Dubuque City.

The lake is two or three feet higher than the earth's surface. In some places the wall is ten feet high, fifteen feet wide at the bottom, and five feet wide on the top. Another fact is the size of the stones used in the construction, the whole of them varying in weight from three tons down to one hundred pounds. There is an abundance of stones in Wright county, but surrounding the lake, to the extent of five or ten miles, there are none. No one can form an idea of the means employed to bring them to the spot or who constructed it.

Around the entire lake is a belt of woodland half a mile in length, composed of oak. With this exception, the country is a rolling prairie. The trees must have been planted there at the time of the building of the wall.

In the spring of the year 1856 there was a great storm, and the ice on the lake broke the wall in several places, and the farmers in the vicinity were obliged to repair the damages to prevent inundation. The lake occupies a ground surface of 2,800 acres; depth of water as great as 25 feet.

The water is clear and cold, soil sandy and loamy. It is singular that no one has been able to ascertain where the water comes from nor where it goes, yet it is always clear and fresh.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Resistance to Ridicule

The Columbian.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, May 20, 1881.

The agony is over. Judge Robertson was confirmed as Collector of the port of New York on Wednesday, by an almost unanimous vote. Senator Cameron made another bid for popularity by voting against him.

Kellogg of Louisiana is of the opinion that Conkling is "an ass." Some people have thought so ever since Conkling aided in seating Kellogg in the United States Senate.—*Harrisburg Patriot.* Right you are; "very true, so they do."

Just at this time when the conflict between the President and Conkling has divided the Republican party, and disgusted thoughtful men everywhere, certain Democratic Senators must needs set back their party in public estimation by putting Jay Gould's attorney into the Supreme Court. Beck, Pendleton and Voorhees and Jay Gould's newspapers are united in support of Matthews.

The executors of George J. Bolton, deceased, propose to form a joint stock company for the management of Bolton's Hotel in Harrisburg. This house has been, for many years, headquarters for Democrats and it is desired to keep it as such. Shares of the value of $100 are to be issued to the number of 500, upon which only 50 per cent cash need be paid.

How does it happen that the name of Hon. T. J. Vanderslice appears in the list of those who voted against the bill to dispose of the Philadelphia Delinquent Tax Office? This has occurred more than once and has attracted attention. Mr. Vanderslice was one of three Democrats who voted against the motion to advance the bill. Is he in sympathy with Hewit, Sonder, Hazlet and the rest of the "roosters?" His constituents would like to know.

"The courtesy of the Senate" is, theoretically, something delightful to contemplate, but practically it is too frequently a bit of misplaced politeness, whereby ambitious or ill-tempered Senators are enabled to carry out their own schemes of personal advancement or revenge, without regard to the public interests. See what a snarl the country is now in, on account of the Senate's courtesy to Conkling.

Mr. Garfield has not met with remarkable success thus far as President. What little he has been able to accomplish has been the result of Democratic aid, and a Republican administration that cannot stand alone does not command much respect. What is worse, the future promises nothing brighter, and the Garfield administration bids fair to be the weakest and most dependent of any in the annals of the nation.

The New York *Herald* wisely observes, that if the Postmaster General shall succeed in putting an end to the jobbery in the Post Office the opportunity will be afforded of reducing the postages without sensibly increasing the burdens of taxation. Mr. James has this great reform within the possibilities of his administration, and if he can accomplish it he will win a great and deserved reputation.

Certain nervous persons have been in a state of trepidation ever since Prof. Swift's discovery of the new comet, fearing that the eccentric celestial wanderer would plunge into our terrestrial globe and knock it out of time—as it were. There is no occasion for alarm as it is doubtful whether the comet will approach near enough to be visible to the naked eye. Arrangements for Summer excursions are still in order.

The Philadelphia *Times* iterates and reiterates its statement that Representatives Rice, Hazlet and Souder are "corrupt Legislative scoundrels," and begs them to institute proceedings for libel and take the matter in Court, where they will obtain justice. As this is just what the "roosters" do not wish to obtain, it is not very likely that the polite invitation of the *Times* will be accepted. Of such wretched stuff are modern legislators made.

If there are those who have doubts concerning the scandalous extravagance of the Star-route postal service, such persons will doubtless change their opinion when they know what Postmaster General James has already accomplished. In less than two months and a half he has effected a saving of more than $412,000 and that too without crippling the service or curtailing its efficiency. This reduction evidences a frightful extravagance and a probable heavy profit for somebody.

The Philadelphia *Press* calls upon Senator Dorsey to resign his position as Secretary of the Republican National Committee, unless he can clear himself of the charges made against him of complicity in the Star route frauds. This is very straightforward and honorable in the *Press*, but "allee same," Dorsey will stick and believe that he is "vindicating" himself by remaining under fire. However, as, according to high Republican authority, the Republican party is going to the "demnition bow-wows," it's of no consequence what Dorsey does.

If—as seems likely to be the case—the grand old Republican party should go to pieces, what a glorious record it will leave! It came into power as a minority party; it postponed its ejection from power by stealing one election and buying another with money filched from the public treasury; it had for the last twelve years of life no issue on which to appeal to the people save slanders about the South, and it finally died of a squabble over a custom-house and an attempt to put a repudiating Confederate and an apologist of Star-route thieves into two offices of the United States Senate! *Selah.—N. Y. World.*

The many mysterious disappearances that have taken place within the past few months, in New York and other large cities, are calculated to awaken disquietude in the minds of those whose affairs require them to visit the cities alluded to, at certain times during the year. It seems almost incredible that a man can leave his hotel in broad daylight, to attend to business, and vanish from sight as completely as if the earth had yawned and swallowed him. And yet such events have taken place in streets patrolled by police and crowded with pedestrians. There is something so weird and uncanny about these disappearances, that the average citizen regards them with consternation and awe. It is time that vigorous measures were taken to protect the people.

Creation! listen to this yarn. The very enterprising and highly imaginative associated press correspondent at Worthington, Iowa, telegraphs on Saturday, as follows: "The storm yesterday afternoon lifted the barn of John Pitman, containing six horses, and carried it a distance of half a mile without injury to the horses. Also two barns belonging to R. Baker were blown a distance of two miles. No lives were reported lost." There is a magnitude and a rounded completeness about that report, which commends it to public notice. Readers will observe that although barns, horses, and presumably, wagons, hay, &c., were transported miles by the fury of the gale, no lives were lost. If this had been reported, an inquest would have been necessary and there might have been trouble in finding the corpses. It is the finest lie of the season, undoubtedly.

IS THE PRESIDENT PERFIDIOUS?

Since the publication in the New York *Herald* of what was alleged to be the inside history of the treaty of Mentor, wherein Mr. Garfield was charged with inexcusable duplicity and lack of truthfulness, other statements to the same effect have been published. The latest comes from Philadelphia and is to the effect that Mr. Wharton Barker, who had been instrumental in procuring the nomination of Mr. Garfield at the Chicago Convention, had been promised the office of Secretary of the Treasury—which promise was never fulfilled. From New York the story comes that Mr. L. P. Morton had also been promised the coveted Secretaryship and that he too had been cheated and deceived. Senator Conkling asserts that Mr. Garfield acted in bad faith as regards the New York appointments and did what he deliberately said he would not do. These charges, coming as they do from different sources, are beginning to affect public opinion seriously and there are many, not at all friendly to the New York Senator, who have lost faith in the President's truthfulness. If all these injurious statements are untrue, it would be well for Mr. Garfield to make a satisfactory explanation at an early moment. Even if he is President, the country has not forgotten that he was once a Congressman and had a record not altogether beyond suspicion.

THE ODD FELLOWS.

The grand encampment I. O. of O. F. met in Harrisburg on Monday, Most Worthy Grand Patriarch, James P. Robbins, of Philadelphia, presiding.

The grand Scribe, James B. Nicholson, of Philadelphia, submitted a lengthy and elaborate report of the receipts and expenditures of the order for benefits, and the number of members introduced, and also the number buried during the year.

Grand Treasurer, John Heiss, of Philadelphia, submitted his report of money received and disbursed, the items of which show a very healthy financial condition of the Order.

There are now 205 encampments with 10,665 members. Total amount of relief paid during the year, $49,558.65; receipts, $78,609.21. Total assets of the encampments, $265,591.58. The following are the officers elected for the ensuing year:

M. W. Grand Patriarch, J. P. S. Gobin, of Lebanon; M E. Grand High Priest, Charles C. Vandyke, of Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Senior Warden, Joseph E. McCabe, of West Bridgewater, Beaver county; R. W. Grand Scribe, James B. Nicholson, of Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Treasurer, John S. Heiss, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Junior Warden, H. W. Bailey, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Representative, M. Richards Muckle, Philadelphia.

The Grand Lodge was in session on Tuesday.

THE NEW YORK SENATORS RESIGN.

The most complete political surprise of the day, was effected on Monday last by Senators Conkling and Platt of New York, both of whom tendered their resignations to Governor Cornell and caused the fact to be announced to the Senate. This was so sudden and unexpected that it produced something very like consternation in the Republican ranks. None of the Senators had even a suspicion that such an event was in contemplation, not even Cameron or Logan having been advised of it. The letter to Governor Cornell conveying the resignations of the two Senators, is a long and altogether extraordinary document, being in fact an elaborate protest against the nomination of Judge Robertson for Collector of the Port of New York, and assigning the President's action in the matter as the reason for their course. Opinions differ as to what Mr. Conkling's plan may be, though a majority favor the belief that he intends to have the legislature re-elect him and thus mark its approval of his course. This, if true, is a very cheap and mock-heroic style of posing before the people. The legislature of New York does not in a question of this kind represent the people of New York. If Mr. Conkling would submit his claims to a popular vote, a result favorably to him would be something of which he might be proud, but the action of a subservient legislature will carry no weight. Exactly what Mr. Platt resigned for, nobody knows and nobody particularly cares. He was only the tail to Conkling's kite.

According to law, the legislature will proceed on Tuesday next to choose the successors of Messrs. Conkling and Platt. By that time the country may be more fully advised of what the senior Senator from New York proposes to do.

A NATIONAL DISGRACE.

The nomination of Stanley Matthews for Justice of the Supreme Court was an insult to the better class of people throughout the Union, and his confirmation by the Senate, last week, was an outrage. For this, the country has to thank certain Democratic Senators and especially, Pendleton, Beck and Voorhees It is difficult to understand by what train of reasoning these Senators could have been led to support Stanley Matthews. He was one of the principal factors in the intrigue that resulted in putting Hayes into the White House, and this alone should have deprived him of Democratic aid. It is a favorite saying of Republicans that the Democrats are not fit to hold power in the Nation, and the confirming of Stanley Matthews by the votes of Democratic Senators goes far to prove the truth of the assertion. Pendleton, Beck and Voorhees have disgraced themselves and their party by placing upon the Supreme bench the attorney of Jay Gould. It is quite freely intimated that the money of the railroad gambler had much to do with the confirmation of Matthews. There are thousands who will believe it. Matthews is utterly unfit for the high office to which he has been chosen. He is, and was whilst Senator, the open advocate of railroad monopolies, and did all in his power to defeat the Thurman act by which the powerful corporations were compelled to restore to the people millions of money. There were more than enough of Matthews' sort already on the bench, and his vote may always be counted upon in favor of the railroads. He is as bad as Bradley, and worse than Strong. It is expected that cases will soon come before the Supreme Court, in which the various roads of Jay Gould are largely interested, and the chances are that the vote of Matthews will decide them in favor of the corporations and against the people. Much might be said as to the political tergiversations, financial vagaries and personal shortcomings of this new Judge, but it is hardly worth the time or space.

With what grace can the Democratic Senators who foisted Matthews upon the bench appeal to their party for support or sympathy, or on what grounds can they asked to be continued in office? They would best serve the party by tendering their resignations. Democratic national success has been prevented for years by just such men and such blunders—if that is what this confirmation can be called.

THE COMING CONVENTION AND ITS NOMINATING POWER.

Rule VI. Instructions shall be required upon county nominations for which candidates are announced in the newspapers, except for coroner, surveyor and auditors, and delegates without such instructions shall not be permitted to vote, and candidates shall receive convention votes in proportion to their vote in the respective districts.

This rule does not mean that a man cannot be a candidate for an office because his name has not been announced in the newspapers; any man can be voted for in the convention for whom a delegate is instructed. So the citizens of Columbia county who may be of the opinion that no man who pushes himself upon the party, is a fit and proper person to occupy the office, may at the delegate elections select and instruct for any honest and competent man for the office they designate. As a general rule, not one in five of the persons who nominate themselves for public office is fit and competent. Their fellow citizens, to whom they appeal so feelingly, don't want them, but they follow the disgusted voter from plow-handle to plow-handle, until in sheer despair of peace at any other price he gives his promise of support. If the voter sought the man upon whom he wished to bestow an office, how many of the persons who have held public places in Columbia county for the last twenty years would have been selected?

"Civil service reform" has become the butt of the politicians, and "Reform within the party" is a by-word and a reproach. Political bummers force themselves upon the party ticket and expect to be carried through by party discipline; and decent men are expected to support them, and contribute their voices, their votes and their purses.

The word *politics* has become a synonym for all that is disreputable—and a *politician* shares the fate of that bad distinction. Originally a *politician* was a person able to form laws, rules, or regulations for the government of a city, state or county—now he is a person who can circumvent the people, who can corrupt the ballot, who can swill beer, who can engineer a delegate election and by arts of low cunning secure a fat office for which he has not one single qualification. Well said Dean Swift, long ago—"Few *politicians*, with all their schemes, are half so useful members of a commonwealth, as an honest farmer; who, by skillfully draining, fencing, manuring, and planting, hath increased the intrinsic value of a piece of land; and thereby done a perpetual service to his country."

If these annual *political tramps* were served by the farmers as the social tramps are, put to the draining, fencing, manuring and ploughing of their lands, a much more wholesome state of public and political morals would be the result. Then a politician might again become a person fit and competent to make laws and rules and regulations of government. Then it might be worth while for the citizen to become versed in the necessities of the public service, and able to carry out the views of the "honest farmer" in the government of the country. Then ward bummers and delegate manipulators, and whisky-ticket venders would go out of business, and the light of day could be allowed to shine upon political doings.

And we give notice here and now, that if there is not at once, "Reform within the party," that there will be reform from the outside of mere political management. It is the beginning of the end.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS.—Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. March 18 40-w

News Items.

(South Bend Evening Register.)

When certain powers are claimed for an article, and everybody testifies that it does more than is claimed for it, to gainsay its worth is useless. This is the substance of the St. Jacobs Oil record.

A single vessel brought to New York 600 tons, or over ten millions of bananas, a day or two ago.

Parents should not forget that their shoe bills can be reduced one half by purchasing for their children shoes with the A. S. T. Co. Black Tip upon them. They wear as well as the metal, and add to the beauty of the shoe.

Twenty fin-back whales were shot with bomb lances on Saturday near Provincetown, Mass.

A fire at Nashville, Tenn., on Tuesday caused a loss of $500,000.

Parents who allow their children to grow up with scrofulous humors bursting from every pore are guilty of a great wrong. Think of them pointed out as branded with a loathsome disease, and you will readily procure them the Cuticura Remedies.

Berks county hat factories turn out 1,800 dozen a day.

The annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Central Pennsylvania, over which Bishop Howe presides, will meet at York, Pa., on the second Tuesday of June.

Women that have been pronounced incurable by the best physicians in the country, have been completely cured of female weakness by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Send to Mrs. Lydia Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets.

An order for 500 dozen of axes has been received by the Lock Haven branch of Mann & Sons' axe factory. The works have a capacity for manufacturing twenty-five dozen axes a day.

"CAUTION."

He who cares for his belly much more than his back,
To face friends in his rags is uncommonly slack;
If indigestion or headache from indulgence arise,
Spring Blossom cures all who the remedy tries.
Price; $1, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

4,500 emigrants arrived in New York on Tuesday.

It is said over 2,000 coke ovens will be erected in the Connellsville region this year.

Mount Vesuvius is troubled with eruptions, now for another philanthropic subscription to send some Spring Blossom to Italy. Prices; $1, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

William C. Robinson Jr. aged 14, was drowned in the river at Pittston on Saturday afternoon last, whilst fishing. His body was recovered.

At Vincennes, Ind. last Monday, Willis Snallow, aged 18, refused to pay toll at a drawbridge and the watchman, Joseph Reimers, struck Snallow with his cane. Snallow then shot Reimers dead and escaped.

Father Maloney, the alleged miracle worker of Erie, offers to wager $2,000 that he can perform miraculous cures publicly.

THE BOUND UNLOOSED.

Chas. Thompson, Franklin street, Buffalo, says: "I have suffered for a long time with constipation and tried almost every purgative advertised, but only resulting in temporary relief, and after 'constipation still more aggravated' I was told about your Spring Blossom, and tried it. I can now say I am cured, and though some months have elapsed, still remain so. I shall however always keep some on hand in case of old complaint returning" Prices; $1, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10 cents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. MAIZE,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
AND
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.
Office in Mrs. Ent's Building, third door from Main street. May 20, '81.

ANNUAL REPORT OF

Conyngham Township and Centralia Poor District for the year ending April 11th, 1881

DAVID WALSH, COLLECTOR.

DR.

To am't borough duplicate poor tax at 5 mills	$ 571 16
To am't twp duplicate poor tax at 10 mills	4891 94
	$ 5463 10

CR.

By am't of unseated land tax returned on borough duplicate	$ 19 87
By am't of unseated land tax returned on twp duplicate	139 85
By am't of errors and exonerations on borough duplicate	16 12
By am't of errors and exonerations on twp duplicate	3 00
By am't of reduction made by court in Girard Estate	274 85
By am't of Collector's Commission at 5 per cent	250 93
By am't of balance put in treasury	4767 78
	$ 5462 10

DAVID WALSH, TREASURER.

DR.

To am't received from collector	$ 4767 78
To am't received from County Treasurer unseated land tax	283 47
To am't of balance due Treasurer	2 38
	$ 5053 63

CR.

By am't of poor orders redeemed and cancelled	$ 4952 61
By am't of Treasurs commission at 2 per cent	101 02
	$ 5053 63

DAVID WALSH Collector of Special Tax.

DR.

To am't of special poor duplicate of borough at 1 mill	$ 113 29
To am't of special poor duplicate of twp at 5 mills	2446 27
To am't of unseated land tax received from County Treasurer.	141 74
	$ 2701 30

CR.

By am't of unseated land tax returned on borough duplicate	2 18
By am't of unseated tax returned on township duplicate	209 34
By am't of errors and exonerations on boro duplicate	3 22
By am't of errors and exonerations on twp duplicate	1 56
By am't of reduction made by court in Girard estate	137 28
By am't of collector's commission at 6 per cent	110 30
By am't paid Wm Krickbaum Prothy Sept. 6, 1880	1 600 00
By am't paid Wm. Krickbaum Prothy Dec. 7, 1880	500 00
By am't paid order of Edward Geraty for services as steward order being dated April 9, 1878	588 00
By am't of treasurer's commission at 2 per cent	44 75
By bal due the district	107 67
	$ 2701 30

We the undersigned auditors of Columbia county hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account and find it correct as above set out.

WM. L. MANNING, }
S. E. SMITH, } County Auditors.
C. B. SEESHOLTZ, }

Orders redeemed in detail.

No 75, April 10, 1880, Samuel Keller money paid farm hands	22 48
No 77 April 20, '80 C G Murphy making annual statement	15 00
No 78, April 20, 1880, Mrs Agnes Sweeney making shrouds	5 00
No 79, April 30, 1880, Richard Proctor surgery	25 00
No 80, May 15, 1880, Elwell & Bittenbender publishing stat ment	30 00
No 81, May 15, 1880, Robert Farrel boarding sick paupers	45 60
No 82, May 15, 1880 David Walsh services as director	100 00
No 83, May 15, 1880, Thomas Gallagher services as director	100 00
No 84 May 16, 1880, P F Burk salary as clerk	15 00
No 85, May 15, 1880, Watkin services as director	120 00
No 86, May 15, 1880, Thomas Gallagher services as director	62 00
No 87, May 15, 1880, S P Levan shoats and clover seed	24 00
No 88, May 19, 1880, Charles Strausser carpenter work	44 00
No 89, May 20 '80, Wm Peiffer keeping vagrants	12 50
No 91, May 29, 1880, F F Burk room rent	40 00
No 93, June 26, 1880, Burk & Bros. coffins	81 00
No 94, June 26, 1880, W. H. Bright agt lumber	24 09
No 95, July 3, 1880, James' Dyke supplies for poor house	43 49
No 96, July 3, 1880, Geo W Davis medicine and supplies	29 34
No 97, July 3, 1880, D F Curry horse hire and keeping vagrants	45 25
No 98, July 3, 1880, Thos Chapman services as director	30 00
No 100, August 7, 1880, Dr Owens prof services	23 50
No 101, August 7, 1880, Dr Owens prof services	21 50
No 102, August 7, 1880, W K Weidensaul horse hire	40 00
No 103, August 7, 1880, Casper Rhawn laundry	2 75
No 106, August 7, 1880, Dr Lashell prof services	23 00
No 107, August 7, 1880, John Mohan and others digging grave	6 00
No 108, Aug 7, '80, J C Brown publishing statement	30 00
No 109, August 7, 1880, Locust twp tuition for paupers	15 00
No 110, August 7, 1880, C H Secholtz strawberry plants	10 00
No 111, Sept 4, 1880, A B Fortner tinware and sundries	28 92
No 113, Sept 4, 1880, Samuel Keller sundries fought for poor house	68 00
No 114, Sept 4, 1880, John H Stokes work on farm	92 63
No 115 Sept 4, 1880, John Bligh sundries for poor house	5 00
No 116, Sept 4, 1880, Lewis Miller work on farm	4 25
No 117, Sept 4, 1880, E D Kurtz smith work	5 75
No 119, Sept 4, 1880, M L Billig repairing wagon	1 60
No 120, Sept 4, 1880, Thos Chapman services as director	6 80
No 121, Sept 4, 1880, Samuel Keller sal. as steward	459 98
No 140, Oct 30, 1880, D C Black mdse for poor district	47 73
No 141, Oct 30, 1880, Sykes & Jones coal	36 45
No 142, Oct 30, 1880, Daniel Beaver coal	59 03
No 144, Nov 6, 1880, Lewis Pitner work on farm	100 00
No 145, Nov 6, 1880, B P Fouk wheelwright	6 00
Nov 146, Nov 8, 1880, Saml Reinhold shoe mending	5 60
No 147, Nov 8, 1880, Charles Strausser painting at poor house	18 90
No 148, Nov 6, 1880, W K Weidensaul services rendered	10 66
No 149, Dec 4, 1880, W H Bright agt lumber	24 60
No 152, Dec 21 1880, A B Fortner hardware etc	7 60
No 7, Dec 21, '80, W K Weidensaul horse hire	10 80
No 2, Dec 23, 1880, C W Conover wheelwright	8 50
No 1, Jan 8, '81, John Bligh chairs	6 60
No 9 Jan 8 '81, Thos Mitcher 3 bells cutter	6 00
No 10 Jan 8, '81 Jno L Kline, posts, etc	10 76
No 11, Jan 8, '81, Charles C Eck lime	45 60
No. 19 Feb 14, '81, Jas Dyke, supplies for poor house	31 90
No 24, Feb 18, '80, Wm Herbert mdse for poor district	5 60
No 25 March 5, '81, Henry Beaver, smith work	4 10
No 26 March 5, '81, Jos Hughes attdg R Gibbons	11 00
No 27, March 5, '81, Daniel Beaver coal	11 00
No 37, Mar 8, '81, Sam'l Keller, steward	20 00
No 38, Mar 21, '81, Burke & Bros coffins	10 00
No 39, Mar 20, '81, Thos Geraty, horse hire	43 00
No 34, March 26, '71, Pat Maloney and others, diggi g graves	4 00
No 35, March 26, '81, W K Weidensaul horse hire	4 00
No 39, April 2 '81, Jas Ikely for cow	25 00
No 40, Apr 2, '81, Dr Owens prof service	5 00
No 41, April 2, '81, D Walsh, money advanced for district	87 60
No 42, April 2, '81, Jno Moran for shoes	28 25
No 43, April 2, '71, Jno McNally for cow	20 00
No 44, April 2, '81, Mrs E Curley room rent	25
No 46, April 2, '81, P F Burke, sal'y clerk	25 00
Orders of previous years redeemed.	
No 49, Mar 5, '78, Ed Kurt smith work	87 60
No 81 May 4, '78, O B Millard, mdse	586 20
No 93 Sep 9, '78, Dr Lashell med service	20 70
No 105 Sep 13, '78, Reuben Fahringer, swearing paupers, etc	47 00
No 109, Dec 7, '78, Wm Cleaver, lumber	24 37
No 144 Feb 28, '79, Burke & Bro coffins	57 75
No 3, May 22, '79, D Walsh, services as director	100 00
No 12, May 28, '79, Dr McKibbin med ser	25 00
No 19, July 15, '79, G E Myers publish'g statement	12 50
No 24, Aug 30, '79, John L Kline, coal,	21 87
No 25, Aug 30, '79, Dr Lashell prof ser	50 00
No 29, Aug 3, '79, Thos Geraty, horse hire	24 00
No 33, Sept 13, '79, Chas C Eck, lime	50 10
No 40, Oct 8 '79 Dr. McKibbin med ser	3 35
No 41, Oct 8, '79, Johanna O'Conner, horse hire	2250
No 48, Oct 24, '79, Wm Fink smith work	10 20
No 50, Nov 1, '79, D J Peters, agt fruit trees	20 00
No 53, Dec 27, '79, Simon Fetterman, sundries	9 75
No 59, Dec 9', '79, Thos Chapman, coal and hauling	45 00
No 54, Dec 27, '79, H D Maize, medicine	11 45
No 61, Jan 31, '80, Thos Chapman, services rendered	25 00
No 63, Feb 25, '80, J I Steel, printing	5 00
No 65, Mar 27, '80, Em Levan, coal for poor house	15 38
No 66, Mar 27, '80, Thos Wagner wages agmaid	78 00
No 69, Mar 30, '80, Sam'l Keller, mdse bought	11 60
No 70, Mar 30, '80, Dr McKibbin, medical services	50 00
Receipt of Danville asylum for keeping insane paupers	600 00
Total,	$4,952 61

The following orders issued during the year are still outstanding and unpaid:

No 74, April 30, '80, A Riely, attending insane paupers	9 00
No 75, April 30, '80, Bridget Geraty, attending insane paupers	4 50
No 76, April 30, '80, Mrs John Geraty, attending insane paupers	4 50
No 90, Mar 29, '80, Dr Vastine, medicine, etc	6 67
No 92, Mar 26, '80, P E Buck, hardware, etc	17 38
No 103, Aug 7, '80, P E Buck, hardware, etc	93 77
No 119, Aug 25, '80, Burke & Bro. coffins	85 00
No 121, Sept 10, '80, C G Murphy, mdse for district	100 00
No 123, Sept 10, '80, P E Buck, hardware	25 29
No 124, Sept 10, '80, O B Millard, mdse for district	168 60
No 126, Oct 2, '80, Lebanon Mutual Insurance Co insurance	46 50
No 127, Oct 2, '80, C G Murphy, mdse for district	587 14
No 134, Oct 2, '80, Dr Vastine mdse medicine	7 07
No 135, Oct 2, '80, Vastine & Meura prof services and medicine	114 60
No 137, Oct 29, '80, P F Burke, services as clerk	50 00
No 138, Oct 22, '80, P F Burke, services as clerk	45 00
No 139, Oct 29, '80, P E Buck, hardware	23 52
No 143, Oct 30, '80, A Ricly, attending R Gibbons	48 00
No 150, Dec 4, '80, W Peiffer, keeping vagrants	4 70
No 151, Dec 4, '80, Rhorbach & Co lime	14 40
No 3, Dec 23, '80, Dr Lashell, prof ser	99 50
No 4, Dec 23, '80, G W Davis, paint, etc	27 05
No 5, Dec 23, '80, G W Davis, medicine, &c	22 58
No 6, Jan 6, '81, E B Moorehead & Co.	23 51
No 8, Jan 8, '81, Knorr & Daniels, beef, &c	16 19
No 12, Jan 8, '81, Mont Yeager, repairing harness	9 25
No 15, J. n 8, '81, Wm Peiffer, coal and keeping vagrants	7 09
No 14, Jan 8, '81, Thos Geraty, coal and hauling	21 60
No 18, Jan 15, '80 O B Millard, mdse for district	250 52
No 16, Jan 22, '81, Wm Bryson, atty services	20 00
No 17, Jan 22, '81, Wm Bryson, atty services	20 00
No 18, Feb 18, '81, J A Riley & Co. coal	18 20
No 2', Feb 18, '81, Ed Foy, services ren	14 00
No 22 Feb 18, '81, Mrs Curley, room rent on account	10 00
No 24, Mar 5, '81, Wm Peiffer, keeping vagrants	7 00
No 26, Mar 5, '81, G P Folk, smith work	6 80
No 30, Mar 5, '81, Samuel Keller, services 1879 as steward in full	100 00
No 34, Mar 26, '81, J I Steel, order book	4 50
No 35, Mar 26, '81, James Dailell, pref ser.	76 75
No 37, Mar 26, '81, C G Murphy, legal ser	11 00
No 38, Mar 26, '81, C G Murphy, mdse for district	568 53
No 45, Apr 2, '79, P F Curry, services	5 00
No 47, Apr 2, '79, P F Burke, salary as clerk in full for '80	70 00
Total orders outstanding of 1880	3,316 90
" " " " 1879	519 38
" " " " 1878	1,500 95
" " " " 1877	1,141 06
Total orders outstanding at date	6 477 59
Am't due for unsettled bills at date	3,266 57
Total indebtedness at date	9,744 16
Amount orders issued during last fiscal year	$6,291 99
Deduct orders issued during last fiscal year for bills contracted previous to that year	$4,0 31 86
Net am't bills contracted last year for which orders are issued	$2,260 13
Net am't of bills contracted last year for which no orders have yet been issued and are before called unsettled bills	3,266 57
Total expenditures of last year including am't paid for stock, farm improvements and all other expenses	$5,526 70

Account of C. G. Murphy, Collector and Treasurer of 1879.

	DR.	CR.
To am't received from John Purcell	$22 50	
" " balance due district as per last statement, poor	4 73	
" " balance due district as per last statement, special	469 29	
By error pd Co. Auditors as per receipt c nelled		$50 00
" am't paid judgment of C M Vandergersilen on docket of C G Murphy with interests and costs		27 63
" am't paid judgment of C M Vandergersilen on docket of C G Murphy including interest and costs		9 03
" am't paid judgment of C G Murphy obtained in em'on for $39 together with interest and costs		145 26
" am't paid judgment of C G Murphy being No 297 of Dec. T, 1877 with interest and costs		165 49
" am't paid judgment to Ed Murphy's use now in court for $75, debt, interest and costs		91 10
" am't of balance still due the dist		8 17
		$496 62

W. A. MARR, Attorney.

	DR.	CR.
To am't paid him last settlement by Thomas Chapman, late Treasurer in liquidation of his balance	$150 60	
By am't due W A Marr for over paym't	23	
		$150 23

CR.

By the following orders cancelled and redeemed:

No. 71 March 30 '80 to Thomas Gallagher, services as director	$50 00
" 111 October 4, '78 to P E Buck, hardware, &c.	40 00
" 39, October 8, '79, to P E Buck, hardware, &c.	49 13
" 62, Feb. 28, '80, to P E Buck, hardware, &c.	11 10
	$150 23

THOS. CHAPMAN, Treasurer, 1878 DR.

To am't balance due dist at last settlement $194 15

By am't of order issued April 29, 1881 for services during last year as director on acct. presented and cancelled by us $194 15

We further find the following balances due this Poor District by the officers named:

Due by Neal Lenihan, collector for '75	$957 00
" " Thomas Geraty, for E Curley treasurer for '76	190 25
" " Pat. Burke, treasurer of '76	588 28
" " James Daily, treasurer of '77	83 34
" " C G Murphy, treasurer '79	8 11
" " David Walsh, collector of special tax of 81	107 67

We also find due to David Walsh, treasurer of 1880 the sum of $2 28 as per foregoing statement.

We, the undersigned Auditors of Columbia county, have duly examined the foregoing accounts, and find the balance due by and to the several officers above named, correct as set opposite their respective names.

WM. L. MANNING, }
S. E. SMITH, } Auditors.
C. B. SEESHOLTZ, }

April 29, 1881.

Census of Poor House April 1 1881.

Number of inmates March 31, '80	17
" admitted during the year	23
" discharged and a second if during yr	16
" remaining in house April 1, '81	24

We do recommend that the Board of Poor Directors proceed to make the necessary repairs to said poor house, viz: To raise the rear part of said house up to a square with the main building, put a new roof on the entire structure, so as to make it correspond with the balance of the building, and use the necessary discretion in regard to light and ventilation. The entire cost not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars for said improvements.

Inventory of real estate, stock, produce, etc., taken the first day of January, 1881.

REAL ESTATE.

72 acres of land, "Bachman Tract"	$4,560 00
6 acres of land, "William Miller Tract"	240 00
1 dwelling house	1,500 00
1 bank barn	800 00
1 wagon shed	350 00
1 corn crib	75 00
1 coal and wood shed	65 00

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

One hay rake	$5 00
" tarshing machine	60 00
" wind mill	
" cutting box	5 00
" two (2) horse spring Wagon	30 00
" " Wagon	50 00
" carriage	45 00
Three set of harness	50 00
one bob sled	25 00
" plough	5 00
" hoe harrow	7 00
" corn plough	5 00
Two scythes	2 00
Three garden rakes	75
One grain drill	75 00
" set of carriage harness	30 00
" wheel barrow	1 50
" cultivator	7 50
" two (2) horse sleigh	20 00
" reaper	80 00

STOCK.

Three horses	300 00
Four cows	120 00
Two heifers	40 00
Ten shotes	100 00

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Ten beds and bedding on upper floor	100 00
Seven " " second floor	70 00
Four " " in two rooms	60 00
Three cooking stoves	25 00
One heating stove	5 00
" round table	3 00
" lounge	10 00
" writing desk	5 00
" dozen common chairs	4 00
½ dozen cane bottom chairs	3 00
One cupboard	5 00
" sink	3 00
Three bed room stands	4 00
" looking glasses	1 50
Two kitchen tables	3 00
One rolling leaf table	2 00
Thirty yards ingrain carpet	15 00

PRODUCE RAISED ON FARM.

65 bushels of rye	48 75
192 bushels of wheat	153 60
985 bushels of oats	132 25
160 bushels of potatoes	80 00
45 bushels of buckwheat	22 50
150 bushels of corn in ears	127 50
22 bushels of turnips	5 55
5 bushels of beets	2 50
4 bushels of onions	4 00
1 bushel of beans	2 00
9 tons of corn fodder	90 00
7 tons of hay	140 00
800 heads of cabbage	40 00
850 pounds of beef	14 50
1400 pounds of pork	98 00
80 poultry	20 00
	$989 85

PRODUCE ON HAND JANUARY 1ST, 1881.

3 tons of hay	60 00
4 tons of corn fodder	40 00
6 tons of straw

THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1881

PUBLIC SALES.

Henry Hollingshead, administrator of the estate of Mary Cleaver, will sell real estate in Catawissa, on Saturday, June 18.

Hiram Shugars, administrator of George Hollenback, will sell real estate on the premises in Main township on Saturday July 2nd.

Guy H. McMaster, executor of John McCalla, deceased, will sell real estate at the Court House on Friday, June 3rd at 1 o'clock p. m.

Sweet Potato Plants, 40 cents per 100, $3 1000 at Joseph Garrison's, Bloomsburg.

Two pump stocks in excellent condition can be obtained for very reasonable rates. Inquire at this office.

A communication from Benton is not inserted for the reason that it reached us too late for publication.

The office of J. H. Maize Esq., Justice of the Peace and Attorney-at-Law, is now in Mrs. Ent's building opposite the Court House.

The annual examination at the Bloomsburg State Normal School will be held on Wednesday morning, June 15th.

FOR SALE.—A twenty horse power stationary engine, in first class order. Inquire at this office. may 6 4-w*

Rev. F. P. Manhart of Catawissa has been chosen pastor of the Lutheran church in this town. He has not yet accepted the call.

H. L. Diffenbach, Esq., of Lock Haven, in addition to his duties as Alderman and editor, is acting as Mercantile Appraiser of Clinton county.

Trout fisherman should never fail to kill water snakes whenever encountered. These reptiles are said to destroy numbers of trout. Kill 'em.

If you have pimples, boils, salt rheum, rough skin, &c., take "Lindley's Blood Searcher." Sold by all druggists. may20 4w

Rev. Father Donohue was chloroformed and robbed of $300, at his residence in Plymouth, on Friday night last. There is no clue to the perpetrators of this outrage.

Mrs. William Webb will serve ice cream during the season at her residence on Market street. Her reputation as a manufacturer of this luxury will bring her a large patronage.

Comical change in the temperature, isn't it? At least it would be if one were made of india-rubber, or cast iron. Who was it that designated this as the "temperate" zone, any way?

W. R. Tubbs, landlord of the Exchange Hotel, returned on Friday evening last from a three days' visit to Philadelphia. He is thoroughly informed as to the Spring styles of hats and brought back a sample to show his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Birkenbine, who had been in town for several days, returned to Philadelphia on Thursday of last week, whence they will go to Council Bluffs, Iowa, where Mr. Birkenbine has a contract for the erection of water works.

A young man named Dennis Murphy, about 20 years of age, was drowned in the canal, at Danville, last Friday afternoon. He was bathing and was attacked by cramps. He had only been in this country three weeks.

In the revised New Testament the Lord's Prayer is materially abbreviated, and all mention of the wonder-working Pool of Bethesda is omitted. Two or three generations will come and go before this new Bible becomes the accepted version.

W. B. Allen opened his new store on Monday evening. He has a large assortment of fine groceries, provisions, glass and queensware, &c. As he proposes to do a cash trade, his prices are correspondingly low. He has had several years' experience in the business, and will undoubtedly meet with success. His store is a model of neatness.

[*Battle Creek, (Mich.) Daily Journal.*]

Upon being spoken to concerning St. Jacob's Oil, our fellow townsman, Mr. Theodore Wakelee, said: I had been suffering with rheumatism; and obtained the greatest relief from the use of St. Jacob's Oil. It has also been used in my family for some time, and has never been found to fail in giving prompt relief.

The editor of the Williamsport *Banner* claims that Williamsport has the prettiest young lady in the State, but declines to publish her name. Just above the paragraph mentioning this fact, is another which may afford a clue to the young lady in question. In it the editor returns thanks to an un-named demoiselle for "a large and fragrant bouquet." Now she will know who is meant.

On the night of March 19th, W. W. Wilson a merchant of Sunbury, disappeared suddenly and it was feared that he had been murdered. Last Friday his body was found in the river below the dam. His watch and $100 in money were found on the body and the coroner's jury in view of this fact rendered a verdict of accidental death.

The Danville *Record* calls upon the authorities of that burg to protect citizens from rowdyism. The paper claims that the streets are thronged with idle blackguards whose vulgarity is shocking. A few earnest and zealous police officers could very soon abate that nuisance, and the authorities should give the matter prompt attention.

Mrs. John Herring of Mount Pleasant township who died on the 5th inst. was buried on Friday last at Orangeville. She was 76 years of age and was the mother of several children now living. Of these, Mrs. A. J. Knorr lives in Centre township, George A. Herring in this town, A. B. and C. H. Herring in Orangeville. Two others reside in Wilkes-Barre and one in Chicago.

We are informed that Mr. Joshua Fetterman of this town will be a candidate for County Commissioner at the next Republican Convention. The constitution provides for the election of one Commissioner belonging to the minority party, and Mr. Fetterman, should he be nominated and elected, would perform the duties of the office most acceptably.

The Select Council of Williamsport on Monday night last, passed finally the bond ordinance. The Common Council to which body it was subsequently referred refused to agree to the consideration of amendments and adjourned without action. One of these days the Councils of Williamsport will reach the conclusion, that it is just as well to dispose of public business of such importance as this ordinance.

Last Saturday, Constable Reuben Harris arrested Franklin Beigh, the captain of canal boat 509, on a warrant charging him with assault and battery upon Frederick Fillman, lock-keeper at Rupert. The offense was committed on the 7th of May. Beigh was taken before J. H. Maize, Esq., who held him in $500 bail to appear for a hearing on the first of June at ten o'clock in the morning.

Are you going to paint? If so, send to Henry S. Reay, Montour Paint Works, Rupert, Pa., for sample card and prices of Strictly Pure White Lead. Slate Colors, Iron Paints, Putty &c., and save the wholesale and retail profit. You can mix your own colors, from best material, with Pure Linseed Oil, for 75 cents to $1.20 per gallon.

Respectfully Yours &c.,
apr. 15-6m HENRY S. REAY.

Right Reverend M. A. DeWolfe Howe, Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Paul's Episcopal church on Friday evening, May 27th. We are informed that a large class of candidates will be presented.

Mr. A. C. Chapin was sworn in as a member of the Bar on Saturday last, having passed a good examination for admission. C. G. Barkley, L. S. Winterstein and Geo. E. Elwell Esqs. were his committee. He is a young man of ability, and we wish him success in the practice of his profession.

A drunken man was put in the lock-up one afternoon last week, and he made it peculiarly lively for people in the vicinity. His howls, yells, profanity and desperate efforts to break down the door, were vastly edifying. The lock-up is not a fit place in which to confine a human being, especially on a hot day, and prisoners can hardly be blamed for protesting vigorously against their incarceration therein. But profane and noisy demonstrations of disgust are not pleasant to those who reside in the neighborhood.

Messrs. H. J. Clark & Son have added to their large stock of goods, an assortment of beautiful bonnets well deserving the attention of the ladies. The latest and most popular styles in all the fashionable colors, are exhibited and the collection is claimed to be the most complete and extensive ever seen in Bloomsburg. The store has been greatly improved of late and is now so spacious, so well lighted and so well arranged that it is a pleasure to make purchases therein. The Messrs. Clark are always ready and willing to display their goods.

Sick headache, nervous headache, headache from sour stomach, are all cured by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* Price 25 cents. may 13-3w

We have received a copy of the forty eighth annual report of the Pennsylvania Institute for the Instruction of the Blind, at their meeting held on the 16th of December last. It appears from this that there were on the first of December, 210 blind persons in the Institution an increase of eight over the preceding year. The Treasurer reports receipts during the year of 91,624.02 and expenditures of $88,326,98. The cash balance on hand is $13,741.08. Of the 210 inmates of the Institution, 198 are from Pennsylvania.

Another shooting match took place on the fair grounds last Saturday afternoon. There were twelve contestants, each of whom shot at 30 balls, at 18 yards. Mole's rotary trap was used. The following are the names of the marksmen who participated: C. M. Drinker, A. Sollieder, Henry Aldrich, B. T. Laycock, William Yetter, William Eyer, George Reifsnyder, Aaron Stadler, Abel Thomas, Lloyd Kreig, Mr. Harman and Mr. Fox. Messrs. Aldrich and Yetter tied at 18, and will decide the question of supremacy at the next meeting which will be held in Catawissa to-morrow.

Nervous headache, periodical headache neuralgia headache cured by *Dr. Mettaur's Headache and Dyspepsia Pills.* Price 25 cents. may 13 3w

The annual statement of the Conyngham and Centralia Poor District should have appeared in our last issue, but the copy got into the hands of the editor of the *Sentinel* by mistake, on Tuesday of last week, and he informed no one that he had it, until Friday. The copy was delivered there by mistake of a messenger, but we are informed by the person who sent it that the package was addressed to the "COLUMBIAN," so that the editor of the *Sentinel* must have known that it was not intended for him. However, as the contract for publication was made with the COLUMBIAN and *Republican*, it will make but little difference to the district how many papers insert it for nothing.

We have received from L. H. Rogers a sheet, 22 x 38 inches, that may fairly be called a marvel of condensed information. On one page are rules of spelling, punctuation, use of capitals and letter writing and a list of 2,000 words of similar pronunciation. The next pages give the correct spelling of no less than 25,000 words, most ingeniously indexed. On another page are 20,000 synonyms. A more useful production it would be difficult to find. The price is only 25 cents and the sheets are sent postpaid by mail, by H. L. Rogers, 75 Maiden Lane New York. The publication is worth ten times its price, to all writers.

The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association will be held at Bloomsburg in the Opera House, on Saturday, May 21, 1881, at one o'clock p. m.

FRED B. HARTMAN,
May 13 2w Secretary.

To-morrow afternoon a meeting will be held in the Opera House, this town, for the election of officers of the Columbia County Agricultural Association. It is earnestly hoped by those who take an interest in the success of the Association, that all who are entitled to vote may be present and that only competent and reliable men will be chosen. It may not be out of place at this time, to speak a word of praise for the present officers. They have been active and earnest in managing the affairs of the Association and have earned the confidence and respect of the community. If any of them are renominated, it will be perfectly safe to vote for them, as there is every reason to suppose that they will do as well in the future as in the past. The last fair was so successful in every respect as to afford the very best reason for re-electing the officers under whose management it was conducted. We learn that Hon E. J. McHenry will not be a candidate for re-election as President, and can only hope that his successor may prove as acceptable.

HOWE—WOODWARD.

One of the most notable sociable events of the season, was the wedding of Mr. Frank Perley Howe, of Danville, and Miss Katharine Scott Woodward, of Reading, which was solemnized at Christ Church, Reading, on Thursday of last week. The bride is the daughter of the late Warren J. Woodward, of the Supreme Court, and the groom is a son of Right Rev. M. A. DeWolfe Howe, Bishop of the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania. There were four bridesmaids, Miss Alice Buckalew, of this town, Miss Maude Hoyt, daughter of Governor Hoyt, Miss Margaret J. Arnett, of Philadelphia, and Miss Annie Stewart, of Reading. The marriage ceremony was conducted by Bishop Howe, assisted by Rev. W. P. Orrick, rector of Christ Church. The Reading *Dispatch* says: "The bride was becomingly attired in a handsome bridal robe of white hand embroidered crepe, *en Princesse*, trimmed with *Duchesse* lace, and wore a rich bridal veil of white tulle. She carried a bunch of nephetus buds and lilies of the valley, and looked charming and modest as the flowers themselves. The bridesmaids were dressed alike, in white embroidered mull, with deep embroidered mull collars, large Gainesborough hats with white plumes, and each carried a basket of flowers. The effect was very pretty, bright and spring-like. The groom, best man and ushers, wore the conventional dress."

There was a very large attendance of prominent persons, among whom were Judges Sterrett, Trunkey, Mercur and Gordon, of the Supreme Court. Judge Paxson was prevented from being present by the death of his father. The bride and groom started in the afternoon for Bristol, R. I., via New York, and will return to Danville after their wedding trip, and settle down to the enjoyment of married life.

Half the ills of human life proceed from a torpid and disordered liver. Submit to them no longer while "Seller's Liver Pills" will cure you quickly. Price 25 cents. may 20 4w

GRANGERS IN SESSION.

A meeting of delegates from the different Granges through the county was held in Correll's Hall last Tuesday, to discuss the erection of a store in this town. About fifty persons were present. Committees were appointed to draft plans and specifications, and to ascertain the difference in the cost of a brick and a frame building. The lot has already been purchased and the structure will be forty by sixty feet. It will be exclusively a wholesale store, and will be carried on as a stock company, in shares of five dollars each, no person to be allowed to take more than five shares. It is probable that work will begin on the building this summer.

A LAMENTABLE AFFAIR.

On Tuesday morning last, a terrible accident occurred near Mainville, by which two men were killed, and two others so seriously injured that their recovery is doubtful. The names of the victims are Charles Nuss, David Bredbenner, Conrad Bredbenner and Joseph Eckroth, all trackmen on the Sunbury and Hazleton railroad. They were on a hand car and had gone a short distance on the high trestle work near Mainville, when they were struck by an engine and thrown to the ground beneath. David Bredbenner was instantly killed; Nuss had his leg broken in three places and was otherwise so badly hurt that he died soon after; the other men were alive at last reports, but are not expected to recover. All are married men and live in Scotch Valley at Millin X Roads.

SUICIDE.

On Friday last, the community was shocked by the rumor that the corpse of a young woman had been found floating in little Fishing-creek Mount Pleasant township, and that all the circumstances pointed strongly to suicide. The story proved to be true. The body was discovered, at about two o'clock in the afternoon by a boy named William Welliver of Eyer's Grove, and he at once called George Hartzel who was working in an adjoining field. The body was identified as that of Maggie Shannon, aged about 24 years, a daughter of Jackson Shannon of Jerseytown. She was a niece of Mrs. Zebulon Shultz of Mount Pleasant and a cousin of Mrs. Chandler Eves of Millville. J. H. Maize, justice of the peace, of this town, was promptly notified and repaired to the spot, where he empanelled a jury consisting of the following persons: John Wanick, Daniel Wanick, Nevin U. Funk, Henry W. Melick, George Hartzel and John Girton. The body was examined and the jury adjourned to meet at Mr. Maize's office in Bloomsburg on the following morning to hear evidence in the case.

The jury met pursuant to adjournment and four witnesses testified, in the order following:

Zebulon Shultz swore that Maggie Shannon was a niece of his wife; came to his house from Marietta on Saturday night, May 7th; she arose about five o'clock on the morning of the 13th and told Kate Pursel, another niece of Mr. Shultz, that she was going away; when asked where she was going replied that she did not know; he made her stay until after breakfast; she did not say that she intended to destroy herself; she was in distress about her situation, which seemed to be of pregnancy, but she refused to reveal it.

Kate Pursel testified as to Maggie's leaving the house; asked witness to accompany her to the house of Mr. Pursel, the father of witness, near Millville; could not do so as Mrs. Shultz's baby was sick; Maggie seemed to be in trouble, and said she knew she would not get well; said she would not make trouble for anybody else; made no remark about putting herself out of the way, and would not tell the cause of her trouble. Michael Hawk was waiting on her; he lived at the same place; could not say when he last saw Maggie; had not called on her since she returned from Marietta. He told Mr. Joseph Eck at Millville, that if this had not happened to her he thought she would be his wife; that he had always liked her, but would not marry her now; he would go to jail first. Maggie lived at Chandler Eves' in the fall of 1880; Michael Hawk lived there; afterwards she worked for Joseph Sharpless in Bloomsburg, then at Jacob Diefenbach's, after which she returned to Chandler Eves'.

George Hartzel testified as to the finding of the body by Welliver; Daniel Wanich was called and waded into the creek to pull the body to the shore; saw no marks of violence on the body.

John Girton testified that Maggie came to his house at about half past nine o'clock in the morning and asked for a drink of water; inquired whether the Millville hack had passed; she carried a bundle and walked towards Millville; did not see her again alive.

The jury rendered a verdict that Maggie Shannon came to her death by drowning herself in the water of little Fishingcreek. There is no doubt that the unfortunate girl had been led astray and preferred death rather than endure the shame that was soon to come upon her. One more victim to add to the list of those who have loved "not wisely, but too well"—one more young life sacrificed to passion—one more weary soul impatient of the world's sorrows, impetuously rushing into the presence of the great Judge. An old, old story, but none the less pathetic because the sin and the shame have been told us so many times.

It is sad enough at the best to note the ending of a life just when the world looks fairest and brightest, and when the future promises joys a many and ills a few. But it is doubly sad when an earthly career ends so stormily and when the final crime of self destruction adds to the blackness of the sins that caused it.

The remains of the poor girl were laid in their final resting place by the poor overseers of Hemlock township—so ends the tragedy.

BASE BALL.

Quite an interesting game of base ball was played on the fair grounds, last Saturday afternoon, between a nine from the Wyoming Seminary, Kingston, and one from the Normal School of this town. There was some little delay in beginning, owing to the objections offered by the visitors to having Boyce act as pitcher for the Normal School boys. This was finally adjusted amicably and play began with the Kingstons at the bat. The following are the names of the nines, respectively: Seminary,—Acker, Colley, Landon, Lewis, Haid, tog, Carpenter, Baucher, Brennan and Hunlock; Normal School,—Boyce, Cheney, Stanton, Lincoln, Jones, Martin, McCly, Fleischer and Powell. Harding pitched for his men during the first innings and was succeeded by Acker. Boyce tossed the ball for the home club during the entire game. The visitors secured two in the first innings and three in the fifth, getting "goose eggs" in the others until the ninth. They seemed unable to "get the hang" of Boyce's pitching, but in the last innings they achieved that result and knocked the balls all over the field. They succeeded in adding seven runs to their score before they were retired with a total of twelve to their credit. The home nine were "whitewashed" in the seventh and eighth innings, but made enough runs to win the game, their score standing at thirteen. There were some very pretty plays throughout the game, both at the bat and in the field. The umpire, who was chosen by the visiting club, was fair in his judgments as a general thing, but made his decisions too deliberately. Especially was this the case in the sixth inning, in which two of the home club were put out owing to the fact that the umpire did not announce a ball to be "foul," until the men on bases had made runs and were unable to regain their places. There was a number of spectators present, among them many ladies. The best of humor prevailed and the game was so well contested that all present were pleased. The Normal School nine will we understand, play a game at Kingston at a date not yet made known.

PERSONAL.

Judge Krickbaum was in town on Wednesday.

Eli Robbins, of Fishingcreek, attended the Grange meeting on Tuesday.

Col. M. J. Keck of Hazleton registered at the Exchange Hotel on Monday.

Dr. W. E. Krebs, of Light Street, has recovered from his recent severe illness.

John M. Barton has returned to the Central Hotel as clerk. He is very popular with the traveling public, and thoroughly understands his business. The Central has become a first class house under its present management.

Ex-Sheriff Carter of Tunkhannock and J. C. Townsend of Williamsport, were in town on Monday attending to business for D. M. Osborne & Co., the famous manufacturers of agricultural implements.

C. B. Robbins and C. C. Peacock started for Denver, Colorado, on Monday night, the former for a pleasure trip, and the latter with the expectation of settling in the west. Jonas Ager will conduct Mr. Robbins' business during his absence.

CLOSING OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The closing exercises of the public schools took place on Saturday afternoon last. They consisted of declamations, compositions, dialogues, singing, &c., and were all very creditable to teachers and pupils. The paper read by Miss Bidleman was very entertaining, and was full of fun and good hits. A number of visitors were present. In the High school department, prizes were awarded to Irene Phillips, Frank Sloan, Annie Fox, Mattie Sterner and Irvin Breece, who were neither late nor absent during the term. The prizes were handsome books given by Prof. Schoonover. On behalf of the pupils, Miss Annie Fox presented Professors Schoonover and Buckingham each with a volume of Dickens. Remarks were made by Superintendent Snyder, A. C. Smith, Esq., Rev. J. P. Tustin, George E. Elwell and William Krickbaum. The past year has been a very successful one in the public schools. Excellent instructors have been employed, and the most harmonious and kindly feeling has existed between teachers and pupils. Our school board is composed of good business men, who look carefully after the interests of the district. No town in the State can boast of better educational advantages than Bloomsburg enjoys.

CHEAP R. R. TICKETS TO THE WEST.

If you are going west save time and money by buying tickets from R. D. Darlington, agent at Rupert. He represents best routes to the west and northwest. Trains leave Rupert at 6:15 a. m., 8:50 a. m., and 4:06 p. m. For rates and information, call on or address

R. D. DARLINGTON,
May 12-6w Ticket Agent, Rupert, Pa.

BUCKHORN NEWS.

Mr. James Rea started on Tuesday for Coldwater, Mich., where he intends visiting his son and other relatives.

Dr. C. Lenker has returned from Lancaster City, where he was attending the State Medical Society.

Rev. G. V. Savidge assisted in laying the corner stone of the new M. E. church, at McHenry's, on the Orangeville charge.

Mr. F. P. Harris intends painting and otherwise improving his residence.

Willie, son of A. J. Beagle, who has been dangerously ill, is slowly recovering.

Mr. William Ohl has purchased the property, formerly owned by Jesse Ohl, deceased.

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THE WONDERFUL CHURN.

Without doubt the best churn ever introduced in this county is now on exhibition at the Central Hotel. The great usefulness to farmers claimed for it is positively a fact. It churns the butter, works out the buttermilk, and salts the butter while in the churn, besides churning in much less time and making at least one tenth more butter from the same cream than any other churn.

Churns, township and county rights for sale by,

TOLLEY & LONGSTREET, Agents,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

Business Notices

To meet the demand for the indispensable Self-Binding Harvester, D. M. Osborne & Co., of Auburn, N. Y., are building ten thousand self-binders, this year, besides twenty five or thirty thousand Mowers and Reapers. It will be well for farmers contemplating buying new machines to read carefully the "Osborne Monthly," which is sent gratuitously to farmers by mail where their names have been sent to the company. The May number will be found very interesting, and will be furnished free by the Agents of D. M. Osborne & Co.

HARMAN & HASSERT, Agents,
May 20 Bloomsburg, Pa.

White, Blue and Cardinal Shetland Shawls just opened at I. W. Hartman's.

Ladies' Hats and Bonnets at Clark & Son's.

I. W. Hartman has Linen Lap Robes for 90 cents to $1.00.

More Black Silks just received at Lutz & Sloan's.

J. W. Lilley, of the firm of Lilley & Sleppy, of Light Street, is in Philadelphia laying in a stock of Fine Goods which will be sold very cheap.

A full line of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Ties, Netts, Hamburg Edgings, Laces &c at low prices at Clark & Son's.

500 Bushels of Good Potatoes wanted by Silas Young of Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price.

Go and see that beautiful Silk Stripe and barred goods for Dress Trimmings, 75 cents a yard at I. W. Hartman's.

For Gloves and Mitts go to Lutz & Sloan's.

The season for repairing your Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines and other farming implements is at hand, and the place to have repairing done is at HARMAN & HASSERT'S Foundry and Machine Shop. This is the only place in the county where D. M. Osborne & Co's. machines are repaired. A full line of extras for all the leading mowers, reapers, &c., kept constantly on hand. May 20 4w

Fans and Parasols, full line now open at Clark & Son's.

Nobby Business Suits,
Elegant Dress Suits,
Durable Working Suits,
Now on hand at David Lowenberg's.

I. W. Hartman sells the best Lawns for 12½ cents a yard.

Wide Percales 10 cents a yard at Lutz & Sloan's.

Z. T. Fowler, Willow Grove, Pa. wants 100,000 Rail Road Ties. May 13-3w

Boots and Shoes, Finest, Best and Cheapest at F. D. Dentler's.

Clothing for all, no matter what your size, age or condition may be, at the Popular Clothing Store of David Lowenberg.

Largest line of Ladies' Slippers and fine Shoes at Dentler's Shoe Store.

Do not fail to look at our Black Cashmeres prices lower than ever at Clark & Son's.

12½ cents a yard for the best quality of Lawns at Lutz & Sloan's.

Laces of the Newest Styles for Trimming Ginghams and Lawn Dresses at I. W. Hartman's.

Highest Cash price paid for Wheat and Rye by Z. T. Fowler, Willow Grove. May 13-3w

David Lowenberg would inform his customers and the public in general, that having completed the alterations in his Store, he is now prepared to supply his customers with the latest styles of Clothing. Now on hand a magnificent stock of Ready-made Clothing, selected expressly for the Spring trade. Call and inspect and see for yourselves.

New Lot of Dress Ginghams, Seersuckers and Buntings at I. W. Hartman's.

Best Lawns 12½ cents a yard and Lace Bunting 12½ cents a yard all colors, at Clark & Son's.

Linen and Cloth Ulsters for ladies at Lutz & Sloan's.

BOYS' SUITS.

Parents, remember we have a very large stock of Children's Clothing, and much nicer and cheaper than you can make them at home. Call and see for yourselves at

David Lowenberg's.

Shooda Serges, Nuns Veilings, DeBeiges Cashmere faconia and other Dress Goods in all the new shades at Clark & Son's.

All the novelties in foot wear at F. D. Dentler's.

Corsets, from 50 cents up at Clark & Son's

As I have just returned from the South I will be pleased to see all my Friends. Bring on your Wheat, Rye and Rail Road Ties.

Z. T. FOWLER,
May 13-3w WILLOW GROVE.

See a woman picking a bunch of grapes in another column, at Speer's Vineyards, from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by C. A. Klein. jan 7'81 1y

Ho for a Hat!
For the latest styles,
For the largest assortment
For Men, Youths, Boys and Children,
Go to David Lowenberg's.

Marriages.

VANCE—MEGARGEL.—On May 5th, at the Manse, Bloomsburg, by Rev. Stuart Mitchell, D. D., Dr. William T. Vance and Miss Alice Megargel, both of Orangeville.

GOLDER—WILLIAMS.—At Stillwater, on the 23rd ult., by the Rev. G. W. Dunlap, Mr. G. M. Golder to Miss Minnie Williams, both of Stillwater, Columbia county.

KISNER—HOWER.—On the 17th inst. at the residence of Mr. Jackson Hower, Bloomsburg, by Rev. Stuart Mitchell D. D., J. C. Kisner M. D of Conyngham, Pa., to Miss Kate H. Hower.

Our Questions.

Are you a buyer of Men's or Boys' Clothing at retail? Do you need clothing for the farm, the office, the work-shop, the court-room, or the pulpit? Do you want boys' clothing for the school-room, or for dress? Do you prefer to buy clothing ready-made or to order? Are you in need of shirts?

If yes, to any or all of these queries, state your needs to us, that we may send you samples and prices.

Your Question

is, Will this pay for the trouble? You must judge. We will make up the case,—you must decide it. But we must tell you that we have created the Largest Retail Clothing Business in the United States by the simple method of giving the best clothing for the least money. We mean that it shall pay you to buy of us. If you buy and are not pleased, return the goods for exchange, or demand your money.

Wanamaker and Brown,
S. E. Cor. Sixth & Market Sts.
PHILADELPHIA.

MERCANTILE APPRAISEMENT.

LIST OF DEALERS IN COLUMBIA COUNTY.

I hereby certify that the following list of dealers taken, returned and classified by me in accordance with the several acts of Assembly, in and for the year 1881, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

	Class.	Tax.
BEAVER.		
C. A. Shuman, General Store,	14	$ 7 00
T. J. Shuman, Grocery,	14	7 00
Joseph Shuman, Hotel,	5	50 00
Nathan Bredbenner, Hotel,	5	50 00
A. P. Diefenbach General Store,	14	7 00
Levi Michael, General Store,	14	7 00
BENTON.		
Hiram Hess, Hotel,	5	50 00
H. F. Everitt, General Store,	13	10 00
J. J. McHenry, General Store,	13	10 00
H. & A. McHenry, General Store,	14	7 00
Emanuel Edgar, Hotel,	5	50 00
J. E. Edson General Store,	14	7 00
BERWICK.		
H. R. Bower, General Store,	13	10 00
R. H. Little, drug store,	14	7 00
F. L. Distelhurst, Furniture,	14	7 00
H. H. Wentler, Eating House,	5	20 00
J. H. Hoyt, "	5	20 00
Barnes & Bradford, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
M. A. Loeb, Clothing,	14	7 00
D. Fowler, Furniture and Paper,	14	7 00
J. H. Dietterick, Stationery,	14	7 00
E. S. Kase, Hardware,	14	7 00
A. W. Dickson, General Store,	14	7 00
Frear & Bros., General Store,	11	15 00
Opdyke & Thornton, General Store,	13	10 00
A. Grittain, Drug Store,	14	7 00
H. M. Heckman, Confectionery,	14	7 00
E. Berger, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Bowman & Cristman, General Store,	12	14 50
E. K. Adams, General Store,	13	10 00
G. M. Barnard, Tobacco and Cigars,	14	7 00
G. A. Buckingham, Stoves and Tinware	14	7 00
G. W. Mauger, Eating House,	5	20 00
Frear & Bros., Lumber,	13	10 00
John Keller, Beer Bottler,	5	20 00
Jackson & Woodin, General Store,	6	50 00
R. S. Ent, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
BRIARCREEK.		
H. M. Evans & Bro., General Store,	14	7 00
BLOOMSBURG.		
I. W. McKelvy, General Merchandise,	6	50 00
Alexander & Woodhouse, Store,	14	7 00
F. M. Gilmore, Eating House,	5	10 00
J. F. Caldwell, Confectionery,	14	7 00
L. Gross, Clothing Store,	14	7 00
L. T. Sharpless, Notion Store,	14	7 00
Lutz & Sloan, General Store,	13	10 00
N. J. Henderhott, Drug and Teas,	11	7 00
W. H. Gilmore, Restaurant,	5	20 00
C. B. Robbins, Liquor Store,	13	25 00
William Kreamer, General Store,	12	10 00
E. R. Brower, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
William Allen, Grocery,	14	7 00
William Babb, "	14	7 00
S. W. Conner, "	14	7 00
D. Stroup, "	14	7 00
D. A. Creasy, General Store,	12	10 00
J. H. Kimport, Drug and Books,	14	7 00
C. E. Kessler, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
A. J. Evans, Clothing Store,	14	7 00
A. C. Marr, General Store,	14	7 00
E. Jacoby, Oysters and Fish,	14	7 00
Joseph Decker, Candy Store,	14	7 00
J. B. Wilson, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
I. K. Miller, General Store,	14	7 00
L. Kinyan & Co. Harware,	13	10 00
Holmes & Schuyler, Hardware,	12	12 50
Louis Bernhard, Jeweler,	14	7 00
E. Cadman, Furniture,	14	7 00
George Brown, Hotel,	5	50 00
S. A. Wilson, Confectionery,	14	7 00
C. E. Savage, Jeweler,	14	7 00
H. J. Clark & Son, General Store,	11	15 00
Peter Billmeyer & Co., Grocery,	13	10 00
F. Webb, Tobacconist,	14	7 00
P. Gross, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Mrs. Jane Scott, Confectionery,	14	7 00
W. H. Tubbs, Hotel,	5	50 00
S. A. Clark, Book Store,	13	10 00
F. D. Dentler, Boots and Shoes,	14	7 00
Moyer Bros., Wholesale Drug Store,	11	15 00
Moyer Bros., Drug Store,	14	7 00
C. C. Galignan, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
W. H. Yeager, Sewing Machines and Organs,	14	7 00
Hartman Bros., Grocery,	14	7 00
J. Saltzer, Sewing Machines and Organs,	14	7 00
L. P. Wharry, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
J. K. Eyer, General Store,	14	7 00
W. J. Correll & Co., Furniture Store,	13	10 00
Jacob Keller, Wholesale Notions,	11	15 00
Bundy & Neyhart, Grocery,	14	7 00
Singer Mf'g Co., Sewing Machines,	14	7 00
C. A. Klein, Druggist,	14	7 00
H. Hartman, Carpet Store,	14	7 00
I. W. Hartman, General Store,	10	20 00
David Lowenberg, Clothing Store,	13	10 00
Henry Klein, Grocery,	14	7 00
William Unger, Hotel,	5	50 00
G. M. & J. K. Lockard, Coal Dealers,	14	7 00
C. W. Neal & Bro., Coal Dealers,	14	7 00
O. A. Jacoby, Coal and Grocery,	14	7 00
B. F. Sharpless, Merchandise,	14	7 00
Bloomsburg Iron Co., General Store,	10	20 00
W. C. Richard, Flour and Feed,	14	7 00
D. W. Hoffman, " "	14	7 00
J. H. Stocker, " "	14	7 00
John Weir Agricultural Implements,	14	7 00
Simon Salvo, "	14	7 00
A. Lewis, Blacksmith,	14	7 00
O. A. Jacoby, Liquor Store,	13	25 00
CATAWISSA.		
G. L. Rostenbouder, Hotel,	5	50 00
A. Truckenmiller, Restaurant,	5	20 00
S. B. Rhawn, Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
William Detwiler, General Store,	14	7 00
William A. Swank, " "	14	7 00
P. Smith, Restaurant,	5	20 00
J. B. Kistler, Hotel,	5	50 00
Gilbert & Kline, General Store,	11	15 00
Stephen Bahlg, " "	12	12 50
C. F. Harder, Lumber and Hardware	14	7 00
S. S. Detmer, General Store,	13	10 00
George Mashat, Boots and Shoes,	12	10 00
J. S. Sharpless & Sons, General Store,	10	20 00
T. E. Harder, Furniture,	13	10 00
John Mechy, Confectionery,	14	7 00
Barton & Beerie, Furniture	14	7 00
Wm. John, Stoves & Tinware,	14	7 00
True Remmirer & Keller, Books and Music,	14	7 00
J. M. Smith, Hardware and Drugs,	12	12 50
S. D. Hinard, General Store,	14	7 00
L. P. Osmun, Drug Store,	14	7 00
A. P. Cleaver Stoves and Tinware,	14	7 00
P. H. Sittman, Clothing and Boots,	14	7 00
B. F. Fortner & Son, General Store,	14	7 00
I. H. Seesholtz, General Store,	14	7 00
Wm. Berkhimer, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Catawissa Paper Co., " Dealers,	14	7 00
John Mensch, Coal Dealer,	14	7 00
CONYNGHAM.		
John L. Kline, Hotel,	5	50 00
A. H. Church, General Store,	13	10 00
Daniel Kehres, Hotel,	5	50 00
Mrs Annie McKiernan, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Mrs Mary Monroe, Restaurant,	5	20 00
Wm. Herbert, store,	14	7 00
CENTRE.		
Z. Taylor Fowler, Grain and Coal,	13	10 00
Jacob Sponsler, General Store,	14	7 00
J. S. Mann, Hotel,	5	20 00
Thomas Brotzt, Grocery,	14	7 00
Low Bro., & Co. General Store,	13	10 00
Whitmire & Erwin, General Store,	14	7 00
Edward Wagner, General Store,	14	7 00
Fred Hagenbuch, Farm Implements,	14	7 00
CENTRALIA.		
James Goldsworthy, Hotel,	5	50 00
Mrs. Johanna O'Connor, Liquor Store,	13	25 00
D. F. Curry, Hotel,	5	50 00
C. G. Morris, General Store,	14	7 00
J. Staudenmier, Restaurant,	5	20 00
James

Insects.

An increase of insects will come with the warm growing weather. The eggs of the tent caterpillar will be among the first to produce worms, which, if left to themselves, will soon begin their ravages upon the foliage. Their coming is easily recognized by their tents, and these should be destroyed at once. The best time to take them is early in the morning before they have left their nests or tents, when the whole family may be removed and crushed. The bare hand is the best for all within reach; for those upon high branches use a pole with a swab dipped in lye or petroleum. If a newly set tree is found infested with oyster-shell bark lice, it is the shortest way to pull it up and burn it. An old tree with this pest should be painted over with some non-drying oil, as lard oil; crude petroleum has been used with some success. The presence of the borers is known by the sawdust which they make. The best cure is a knife and a wire or whalebone probe. Cut only enough to allow the entrance of the probe; never girdle the tree as we have seen some do who were hunting for borers. The curculio of the plum stings the fruit when it is quite small. Jar the trees when the fruit is set in the early morning, and so long as insects are caught. The sluggish beetles are caught upon sheets spread beneath the trees or arranged with poles to be held by two persons; put the insects into the fire or otherwise destroy them. Plant lice, that sometimes crowd upon the growing tips of cherry and other fruit trees, can be removed by syringing them with tobacco water; those within reach may be bent down and dipped in the same liquid.

Are Roots Worth Growing?

We have not yet been able to determine to our entire satisfaction, whether there is any profit in growing beets, mangolds and the like for stock-feeding puposes in our dry, hot climate, although we have grown and fed more or less each year for five years back. The pros and cons seem evenly balanced. Let every enterprising farmer cultivate and feed a small lot, carefully observing cost and results, and then determine, whether or not to make them one of the regular crops. A correspondent of the *Maine Farmer* says his say as follows:

For the past few years I have fed several hundreds of bushels of mangolds to swine and they always thrive on them. Last winter I fed over six hundred bushels to swine with good results, keeping my breeding sows on mangolds alone, fed raw, they not having one dollar's worth of any other food for the winter, and in the spring they brought me from $30 to $60 worth of pigs each. If the roots are so nearly worthless what makes the pigs grow? If any one that don't think roots are good for anything to feed has a pair of nicely matched steers and a plenty of these worthless roots, I would like to have him give one steer nothing but dry hay, and the other four fifths as much hay, together with as many pounds of roots as he gives the other in hay, and see if when spring comes he don't think the watery things are worth something.

The *Massachusetts Ploughman* very seasonably says: "Too many farmers neglect to supply their own tables with any suitable variety of vegetables and fruit. By a small outlay of money and labor every farmer can keep his table supplied with a succession of fresh vegetables through the whole season. Spinach planted as soon as the weather is suitable will furnish the finest greens before other vegetables come on, but if it had been planted in the fall it would have come into use in April, under ordinary conditions. Then radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, tomatoes, peas, beans, sweet corn, summer squashes, beets, melons and turban squashes will furnish a welcome and wholesome addition to the farmer's fare throughout the season. If, in addition to these, there are a few roots of rhubarb, a bed of asparagus, a bed of strawberries, and a small collection of small fruits, a farmer may live in luxury and health, such as his occupation ought to afford, instead of the tiresome monotony and scarcity of good things of the farm that many farmers put up with from sheer thoughtlessness, carelessness or laziness."

Squashes are of tropical origin, and, therefore, when spring opens it is useless to plant them until the soil is quite warm. Again, as they make a very rapid growth, there is no necessity of haste in getting the seeds into the ground. Squashes are good feeders, liking a rich soil. It is best to manure in the hill, and when danger from the bugs is over, pull up all but three or four. A mellow, warm soil is the best. For bush sorts, make hills three or four feet apart, and for running kinds twice that distance. All winter squashes should be ripened thoroughly or they are watery, lacking sweetness and richness, also lacking keeping properties.

REMEDY FOR CABBAGE WORMS.—Of all the many remedies that have been tried for the imported cabbage worm since it first began to spread over the country and to play havoc with our cabbage fields, few, if any, have given entire satisfaction. It is safe to say that the most satisfactory remedy so far discovered is the use of pyrethrum. We were the first to apply this in 1879, but did not care to recommend it until further experiments had been made. These we have made the present year, and caused to be made by a number of our agents and correspondents. The general experience is most favorable, and we unhesitatingly recommend it for all the different worms affecting the leaves of our cabbage plants.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

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We have sold Ely's Cream Balm for Catarrh for the past year; have never had a complaint but have received praises. It gives satisfaction to every one using it. Nat. Wolfe & Co., druggists, Wilkes Barre, Pa., Jan. 28, 1880.

In order to have the best success in growing potatoes, and to secure a healthy, vigorous growth and a crop free from rot, says Thorburn, it is necessary to plant as early as the ground can be got ready, select a rich soil, and plant in rows three feet apart, and then the sets one foot in the rows.

A market gardener is reported by the *Chicago Tribune* as saying that neither salt nor ashes will kill the cabbage worm, but dry soot will do it every time, provided it is applied after each rain.

Odd Items.

There are women who would sooner go to one funeral than four circuses.

The raw oyster is the lazy man's friend. An assistant opens the oyster and all the lazy man has to do is to open his mouth.

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A writer says children need more wraps than adults. They generally get more.

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Farmers, attention! Corn may not be so romantic a crop to raise as watermelons, but it means more sleep for man and dog.

A Prussian innkeeper throws a hive of bees among troublesome guests. This saves him the expense of keeping a bull dog.

Mrs. D. Morrison, Farnham Centre P. Q., writing about Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, says: "George Bell used it on his son, and it cured him of rheumatism with only a few applications. The balance of the bottle was used by an old gentleman for asthma with the best results. It acts like a charm."

New York bootblacks now imitate the barbers, and announce that they have so many 'artists in attendance that no one need wait.'

A Brooklyn girl who married a policeman says she is sorry now she did, as he is always taking her up for everything she says.

YOU'LL BET IT WON'T.

And still perchance thy faithful heart,
may pine and break when I am gone,
While bitter tears unbidden start, as oft
thou musest sad and lone;
I've read such things in many a tale, but
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My rheumatic pains I must endure, till
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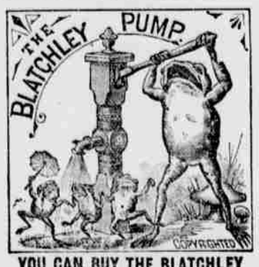

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STILL AHEAD.

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STILL ANOTHER.

From the Great Fire in Troy, New York.
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Gentlemen:—After witnessing the charred books out of the safes peace, also one of my own which was another make, which was not in the heat of the fire like the No. 6 lately purchased of you, which was in the fire over forty-eight hours, and had been continually played on during Monday night, as it was completely surrounded with burning muslins and other inflammable material, on opening it in the ruins Tuesday afternoon I was pleased to find the contents, books, papers and money were all preserved in a remarkably good condition. With this proof of the fire qualities of your safe we have given your agent an order for one No. 8 safe.
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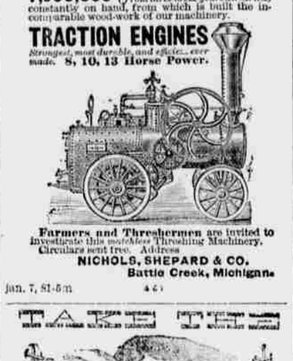

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